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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE DAILY OREGONIAN.]

Proceedings in Bankruptcy Commenced Against the A. & W. Sprague Co of Providence.

PROVIDENCE, R. I. March 31—Proceedings in bankruptcy were instituted to-day against the A. & W. Sprague Manufacturing Company by the National Bank of Commerce. The announcement caused great excitement. Stock holders of the Bank, representing 12,000 shares urged the Directors to withdraw the suit but so far they have been unsuccessful. Charles Trustee of the Company applied to the creditors to stop proceedings which will deprive from twelve to fifteen thousand persons out of employment and cause great injury to the creditors themselves. He assures them that the company if not interfered with will be able to discharge every dollar of their obligations.

The Massachusetts Senatorial Contest, Etc.

BOSTON March 31—The seventh ballot for Senator took place to-day. Dawes 9 Hoar 4 Curtis 7 Adams 1 Banks 6 scattering 1.

BOSTON April 1—At the eighth ballot for Senator Dawes got 9 Hoar 4 Curtis 7 Adams 1 Banks 6 scattering 6.

The Senate Committee on Liquor Law submitted reports to-day. The majority report is against any change of the present law.

The Acquittal of Sanborn.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Judge Benedict's decision in the Sanborn conspiracy case to-day was to the effect that Sanborn's contracts with the Treasury Department covered all his operations charged in the indictment as frauds. The indictment therefore failed in an essential point.

The Louisville Lottery.

LOUISVILLE, April 1—Theo Horner Real H. John L. Leslie hold each a tenth of the capital prize in the Louisville lottery. George Helm and Chris Marshall hold another ticket, believed to have been sold here.

Death of General Harvey Brown, U. S. A.

NEW YORK April 1—General Harvey Brown U. S. A. died at his residence on Staten Island yesterday aged 78.

Fire in Millerstown, Pa.

HARRISBURG April 1—A fire at Millerstown, Pa. broke out in the Central Hotel in which seven persons had their lives. A girl jumped from the third story window and was fearfully injured. Sixty nine buildings were burned, including the Central and Bunkin houses, the Opera House, Reed and Dunn's hardware store, Climb's hotel and two other buildings on the west side of Main street. Butler & Co.'s Bank, Express office and Millerstown Savings Bank. More persons are supposed to have lost their lives, but seven bodies have been recovered.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Congressional Proceedings.

WASHINGTON, March 31—The anticipated appearance of Liebrell before the Postoffice Committee in relation of an investigation of alleged postal contract irregularities was postponed to day until next Tuesday awaiting the receipt of further documentary evidence.

Page was again before the House Public Lands Committee to-day advocating the restoration of the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad land grant to the public domain.

Decrease of the Public Debt.

WASHINGTON April 1—The public debt decreased two millions for March.

A Just Compliment to Representative Nesmith.

WASHINGTON April 1—Nesmith's success in passing through the House recently, a bill looking to the payment of the Modoc war claims when a similar bill was overwhelmingly defeated a month previously was striking evidence of the value in point of such experience and high character to official integrity as Nesmith enjoys.

Bill's Assault on Thieving Contractors.

Lovell is gathering much startling testimony relating the operations of the California postal contracting. He has admission from the Postal Department that the laws have been disregarded and received a promise of immediate reform. The contractors whose operations are being investigated are Barlow Sanderson & Co.

AN ATLANTIC CABLE.

Arrest of a Roman Catholic Archbishop in Prussia.

BERLIN March 31—The Catholic Archbishop of Cologne was arrested to-day for violation of the May laws. The arrest was unattended by any demonstrations.

Further Version of Rochefort's Escape.

MELBOURNE March 31.—Rochefort and his companion escaped in the hold of a ship. They arrived at Sydney to-day, and will proceed to Europe immediately.

Spanish War News.

MADRID March 31—Fifteen thousand troops are marching to reinforce Serrano. The Carlist General Olos, is reported killed. The final attack on Abanto will be made Tuesday or Wednesday.

Rumored Panic in London.

NEW YORK April 1.—A banking house here received the following reply to an inquiry with reference to a reported panic in London. "Rumor unfounded. One or two stock speculators failed but beyond extreme dullness everything appears sound." Other bankers telegraphed do not allude to any disturbances.

NEVADA.

AUSTIN April 1—The *Reveille* of this morning contains the following. From Dutrich Osterhaus, who came this evening from Smoky valley, we get the particulars of a dreadful tragedy which occurred in that locality on Sunday about 1 o'clock. Osterhaus nearest neighbor was a German named Christian Eckstein, and has lived in the valley for the past two years, occupying with his wife and two children aged two and three years a small stone cabin on a patch of hay land. Of late Eckstein and his wife have quarreled frequently, owing to the husband's jealousy of a young man named Norton, who was herding a few cattle in the neighborhood. The neighbors paid no attention to the quarrels of the pair as they had become of two frequent occurrence to be noticeable. Eckstein was known to be naturally of a quarrelsome disposition and had made frequent threats that he would kill both Norton and his wife but none of the people in the vicinity entertained suspicion that he would carry his threats into execution. On Sunday last Osterhaus had occasion to pass Eckstein's cabin with his team and nothing an unusual stillness hung about the place, halted his team and knocked at the door of the cabin. His summons meeting no response, he was about to remount his wagon, thinking the family had gone to town. By an impulse for which he can't account he took a second thought and pushed open the door when a horrible sight met the gaze. On the floor lay the half nude body of Mrs. Eckstein covered with blood her features hacked beyond recognition—the skull being cut almost in twain. At her feet lay her two little girls with their heads nearly severed from their bodies. Across the bed lay the bodies of two men clasped in the embrace of death. They were the bodies of Norton and Eckstein. In the hand of the latter was clutched with the vice-like grip of death a large bowie knife covered with blood, and by the side of Norton lay a large sized dragoon revolver four chambers of which had been discharged. The terrible sight nearly paralyzed Osterhaus who for a short time was almost incapable of action. As soon as he can collect himself he aroused the neighbors among whom the wildest excitement prevailed over the affair. A Justice of the Peace was summoned from Ophir Canyon, but up to the time our informant left no verdict had been rendered. He gave his testimony on the request but urgent business in this city necessitated his immediate departure. He promises further particulars on his return home. Eckstein was a man about 45 years of age and his wife about 2[illegible]. She is represented as having been quite handsome. Norton was a young man about 2[illegible] years of age and a native of Missouri.

MULLETT'S CAPITOL DESIGNS.—A Washington dispatch of March 28th says: The House Committee on Appropriations on the statement of Architect Mullett respecting the deficiencies in appropriations for repairs furniture and fuel in public buildings throughout the country have agreed to insert in the deficiency bill an item amounting to $1,500,000 for these purposes also $20,000 for the Bureau of Statistics and $15,000 for Hayden's geographical surveys.

Mr George D. Bayard who enlivens the columns of the Brooklyn *Argus* with daily salties of wit and satire from his trenchant pen, paraphrases the following good thing upon the lately-departed "Uncle Caleb":

Wealth, says the Jewish sage, takes wings,
In spite of all our pains—
Which may be why our Crushing finds
It hard to hold his Gaines.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

[BY THE RAPID TO THE DAILY OREGONIAN.]

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO April 1—The name of the man who killed himself to-day on Clementina street was Thomas Hart not Lutz as first reported. He cut his throat with an ordinary pocket knife.

The ladies are to hold a mass meeting Monday afternoon to consider the question of dress reform.

Gold street was inundated to-day on account of the rainfall rise in mining stocks.

Mrs. Judah returned and husband sailed for Los Angeles to-day.

James S. Urquhart who fell from the employ of the Western Union Telegraph office here five months and for several years manager in the office has resigned. John K. Smith an old and experienced operator succeeds Mr. Urquhart.

Greenbacks 88@88½.

The ladies have decided to hold another temperance mass meeting at the Tabernacle on Thursday of next week.

Thos. Bearr, a machinist, killed himself to-day on Clementina street, by cutting his throat with a razor. No cause is known for the suicide.

Last evening a boy named Wm. Brady fell from a raft into a pond in Presidio reservation, and was drowned. The body was recovered.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1—To night Coroner Rice resumed the inquest in the case of the artist Fredrick who shot himself last Sunday near the Cliff House. Mr. Webber who was present at the time of suicide described the incidents of the affair as before reported. Mr. Horton a stylish looking lady who assisted in destroying Fredricks letters after his death was called as a witness. The coroner finally asked her if she ever wrote any letters to him or received letters from him. She hesitated for her husband being present and declined to answer. The Coroner insisted she persisted in silence and finally warned the inquest telling her that if she were a man he would punish her for contempt.

An inquest in the case of the suicide Thos. Burd will be held to-morrow.

SAN FRANCISCO April 1.—The Jewish feast of the Passover commenced this evening. Services were held in most of the synagogues and sacrificial repasts called Seder in nearly every Jewish family.

A number of ladies have taken up the question of dress reform and will hold a meeting next Monday at Anthony's Hall to discuss the subject.

Receipts at the Custom House, during March were $656 316.

Weather to night cold and foggy. Navigation of the bay is dangerous.

Ellen Reddine was found to day lying dead in Bull Run alley. Intemperance was the probable cause of her death.

Destructive Fire in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO April 1.—A destructive fire occurred this morning on the corner of Sacramento and Battery streets. It originated in Lane & Fricke's liquor store No. 410 Sacramento street. The place was entirely enveloped in flames, the doors being red hot were opened with difficulty and when opened the firemen had an hour's hard battle with a sheet of flame. The entire stock was ruined. On the floor overhead was Louis Levy's paper box factory, which also gave way quickly to the fiery element. Liebes & Bowman occupied the ground floor, 404 Sacramento street and the floor overhead as a cigar and tobacco factory which also suffered very severely. No. 406 Battery street was occupied by Block & Davidson dealers in tanned leather kids and morocco; the stock was badly damaged, being flooded with water. The flames also spread to the Chinese cigar factory fronting on Commercial street. During the fire two Assistant Engineers met with accidents. Third Assistant Engineer Corbell was running up a ladder on Sacramento street and the ladder not having a firm hold on the ground it fell sideways. Corbell holding on came down with it and sprained his ankle in the fall. First Assistant Engineer Burcoks while working on the second floor of Liebes & Bowman's fell through an opening, dropping heavily to the first floor. It is feared he has sustained injuries in the back. The loss will probably amount to $50,000, partly covered by insurance.

About 1 A. M. another fire occurred on Mission street, near Sixth, in the rear of a three story frame dwelling house the lower portion of which was occupied by Apel an upholsterer. The flames were soon extinguished but the building was damaged to the extent of about $1 000.

The Assistant Engineers Corbell and Burkiss injured at the fire on Battery street this morning were not seriously hurt. Corbell is out already but Burkiss will be confined to his room for several days.

Interior California.

SACRAMENTO April 1—It is reported the Railroad Company proposes very shortly to employ an extra force of 500 men at their shops here to repair damages to locomotives cars &c. occasioned by the snow blockade and to get ready cars and engines for transportation of grain crops which give promise of requiring all the means which can be rendered for shipment.

A large balloon called International has just been completed at the International Hotel in this city under the supervision of J. R. Whitehead and Professor Martin aeronauts. Its capacity will be 25 000 feet of gas, and ascensions will be made from 1st Park, commencing Sunday 12th inst.

OAKLAND April 1—There was not a very large attendance at the trotting park to-day. The race was for a purse of $300. Ella Lewis won three out of five heats. Time 2 49. Jerome second. There will be a race every day this week ending with a $300 twenty mile race.

SANTA CRUZ April 1—The daily stage between here and San Jose was stopped to day on the mountain about halfway by a single man who was well masked on Carmel with a double barrelled shot gun and bowie knife which swung from his wrist. After covering the driver with the gun he disarmed Wells Fargo & Co's Express box, and still insisted after being told that there was no box aboard. Finally realizing that he must be disappointed in this he said to the passengers: "Then you will have to shell out" which they did without ceremony the whole amount in Express being fifty dollars. There were six persons, including two ladies.

ARIZONA.

SAN DIEGO April 1—A telegram dated Tucson April 1st says Governor Safford has to-day pardoned Adam Wiley convicted of manslaughter a year ago in Mohave county by Judge Porter before whom he was tried. Officers and leading citizens generally in Mohave and Yuma counties petitioned the Governor for his pardon.

Tony Grow ill who killed his brother at Camp Grant last year is now on trial for murder.

Lieutenant Emmant had known his murderers Mr. Darwin several times during the day from which to another he died. Frequently in recitations of the people or acting in communion of the dying man's condition he remembered that such words as "Tell Mrs. Emmant I died like a soldier" "Tell the people to protect the property" "Tell the people to organize and drive the Indians from the country" were made use of. The murderers are still at large.

SALEM IN CENTRAL.

[BY OUR TRAVELING CORRESPONDENT.]

SALEM March 31 1874.

Since the letter of general general interest have fallen this week. Everybody is busily engaged in preparing the soil in a favorable condition for plowing and sowing spring wheat. Considerable of the early fall wheat and grass will have to be plowed up and put in spring crops.

Many improvements are being made in building, more than usually so much so that the number of the late Salem will be reported. Within eighteen months there have been erected for permanent residences and business purposes.

The farmers of the surrounding country and the county generally being in a prosperous condition are having and tradesmen have all they can do. Many kinds of agricultural implements, furniture and material for house building, to meet their wants. This is one of the signs of the times that indicates that Salem will not only hold its own as the capital of the State but that it will in due time make great progress and that Marion county is worthy of the honorable position that it occupies for the wealth intelligence and refinement of the people.

THE WILLAMETTE WOOLEN MANUFACTURING CO. is a credit to its originators and honor to the manufacturing interests of the State and of great importance to the industrial interests of Salem. It was organized in 1858 and is one of the most successful on the North Pacific coast.

The blanket flannels cassimeres tweeds and all the manufactured at the mill are in constant and increasing demand in Portland and San Francisco and will compare favorably with any goods of a similar kind made in the Atlantic States inspected. The success of the mill is greatly owing to Mr. Joseph Holt the superintendent and manager of the Company. There are three of these woolen factories in the State two of them on the coast and making 60,000 yard of material in the month.

THE PIONEER OIL COMPANY

Is another of the valuable industries of Salem. The company was organized in 1866 the mill was built and completed in 1867 and the first linseed oil made on the coast was manufactured at this mill on the 5th of December of that year. The beginning was small but the increase has been considerable. Mr. Joseph Holman and George H. Holman have lately purchased the entire stock of the original company and are now the sole proprietors. Mr. George H. Holman is the able and efficient managing agent. The machinery is of the most improved kind and working to its full capacity at present to fill a large order for San Francisco. Since the beginning of the season 500 barrels of oil have been shipped to that market besides supplying the home demand. Last season the company paid the farmers of the State $7 000 for the seed and this year they will pay them three times that amount having contracts with 250 farmers who have 7 000 acres under flax crop. The company make a large quantity of flax seed oil cake that is becoming very popular as an article of feed for stock. The want of population is felt in this department, as well as in some other manufactures for this mill although the only one of the kind in the State can make four times the quantity of oil required. The two linseed mills—this one and one in San Francisco—can make enough to supply the whole Pacific coast. The two mills make 600 000 gallons a year. The Salem mill manufactures 125,000 gallons per annum, while the demand in the State does not exceed 30 000 gallons. The oil made is of the highest grade, and free from all adulteration.

THE MANUFACTURE OF FLAX

Hitherto flax has only been raised in this State for the seed while the fibre the most valuable part has been neglected or considered worthless. Not so now for Mr. J. L. Smith a young gentleman from the North of Ireland has rented about 100 acres of land in the neighborhood of Salem to raise flax with a view of testing the adaptation of the climate, soil and water to raise and mature the fibre, adapted for the manufacture of linen and linen thread of all kinds such as the North of Ireland is famous for. Should he be successful it will be of incalculable advantage to the farmers of the Willamette valley as a profitable industry. Mr. Smith has ample experience in the business. Mr. Watkinds of the penitentiary and many others have promised him all needful assistance to give the experiment a fair trial. Should it succeed one crop of flax raised for both seed and fibre will pay better than three crops of wheat. There is an almost unlimited demand for flax in Great Britain. The markets of the world are laid under contribution to supply flax for the manufacturers of England Ireland and Scotland.

The following is the number of acres under flax in Europe and America last year:

	Acres
Ireland	1 [illegible]
England Scotland and Wales	14 [illegible]
Austria	5[illegible]0
Belgium	11 0[illegible]
Bavaria	11[illegible]
France	200 [illegible]0
Holland	[illegible] 00
Prussia	83 [illegible]
Russia	1 [illegible]0
Saxony	2[illegible]0
Sweden	1 [illegible]
Other countries	1 [illegible]0
United States	11 [illegible]
	[illegible]

THE TEMPERANCE AGITATION OF THE STATE

Is increasing in interest daily. The Marion Republican held their County Convention here on Saturday. All the delegates were present but two. Their public expression of confidence in Wyman & Co. the County and State at the June election was strong but the private opinion of well informed Republicans and members of the Convention records great internal weakness and want of confidence in the final result. The nomination of Mr. John Minto for the Legislature a true patriot and a loving friend of the Independent party by the Convention and their great anxiety to secure his acceptance of the nomination show a conscious weakness on their part of moral strength. But Mr. Minto does not stand alone. His many friends in Marion county are fully aroused to the importance of the Independent movement and will make the contest of their lives. Every effort will be made to defeat such an attempt. We will not be surprised to see the Democratic party in Marion county abandon its organization and come to the support of the Independent ticket.

Mr. Ball has been authorized to fill the office of County Assessor, which office will be filled by the appointment of Mr. Ball. Mr. Ball is a man well fitted for the position and will make a good officer.

Hon. Reuben Long is authority that the Independent Convention will make a very strong ticket. Both Judge Mulkey and Judge Strahan will stump the State for the Independent ticket if so requested. They accept the invitation. It will give an immense impulse to the Independent movement and help to secure the election of the State ticket. The prevailing impression among intelligent and candid men is that Marion county and the State will go for the Independents in the right. Men are not counted any longer by parties. The irrepressible conflict between drunkards and citizens and the common interests of the people, from the county to the remotest limits of the State parties to the right along to the left.

NORTHWEST.

THE STATE PRINTING.

A FULL AND FAIR VIEW OF THE SUBJECT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The proposition of the Albany Convention to remedy the printing evil by an amendment of the Constitution is cumbersome and of doubtful efficacy. It is not an easy matter to amend the Constitution, besides the contract system is easily perverted by combination of bidders. Straw bids etc. A more direct if not equally effective remedy is to be found through a stringent statute prohibiting the practices commonly called "stealing" and enacting a fair reduction of rates. The easy practice of the two Houses of delaying quarters of a day's printing, and then reforming it and such matters I refer to, I think is of real service and such quantities as are usually needed. This in connection with a reduce the printing item fairly per page.

This reminds me that the State printer is to advertise to contract for the printing of the Code and I reports that the bill will amount to the enormous sum of $10 000. The Legislature was told it would be about one fourth that sum. But it is to award the printing of it to the lowest bidder. The Treasurer reports a fee for printing, is exhausted and there is no fund for the code. The Secretary cannot draw his warrant until an appropriation is made. There is no certainty that the Legislature will ever make up and it is certain it will never appropriate anything like $10 000. No publishing house is safe in doing the work and trusting to a future Legislature to appropriate for it. And it is so near the time of the meeting of the Assembly that the printing of this code had best be deferred till then thus permitting a reconsideration of the matter. Besides the acts and resolutions of the approaching session can thus be incorporated in the new volume.

And a resolution of the Albany performance to appropriation for the Sandy Wagon Road. I am afraid that the waste of a greater or lesser sum of money on this moonshine project is inevitable. Some people at the Dalles seem really to think the road will be of service, and a race of politicians and parties for the votes east of the mountains is likely to result in a wasteful appropriation for the so called Sandy Wagon Road. But I cannot believe sensible men anywhere east or west of the mountains think such an expenditure desirable, or that the road if built will ever be kept open to travel in the winter season or much used at its. It strikes me as a most palpable though somewhat plausible humbug. Demagogism is likely to procure it an appropriation from the State though it will be well if wiser counsels prevail to prevent it. It would seem that the last Legislature threw away money enough on wagon road frauds to answer for a decade.

HOW IT WAS DONE IN UMATILLA COUNTY.

A CHAPTER NATURALLY A NARRATIVE.

PENDLETON March 30th, 1874.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The Republican County Convention met here to day not more than half the precincts being represented. Last night a caucus was held and after considerable shot gun shooting a committee was appointed to draft resolutions expressing the views of the party in this county in reference to sending delegates to attend the State Convention. This morning on coming together it was found that a majority of the delegates were opposed to taking any part in that body but were in favor of severing their connection with the party. Some few, however of the strictest, and those who are drawing their supplies from the Government in consequence of their allegiance to party, were found in their professions of love and reverence for the same.

Messrs. N. V. Connover Indian Agent at Vinson was Deputy United States Marshal, J. H. Koontz postmaster at Umatilla and C. M. Mallory nephew of Johns Mallory (U. S. District Attorney) were elected to attend the State Convention only a small portion of the delegates participating in the election—a majority having withdrawn. These delegates (except Mr. Connover) will I am satisfied vote come in and support the Independent county ticket.

The people of this county are rising, *en masse* and demanding, that the people shall be represented by the people's choice; that they will no longer bend blindly to the slaughter, but will assert their independence and elect men to office having reference only to their honesty and capability in filling their former political record. The sign of the times are hopeful here at least. The Independents will carry this county by a larger majority than it was ever carried by the Democratic party. The people here have broken loose from their bondage by a county official debt to the county is bankrupt and is $50 000 in debt. And so it is in every county where there is the life to the Anti-Chinese majority. We are taxed here at the rate of 24 mills on the dollar and yet we are in debt. The people are beginning to figure what it costs to support the [illegible] of [illegible]

THAT PRIMARY.

[illegible] March [illegible]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The Republicans of Columbia valley met at their place of voting, Marshall's for the purpose of selecting some Democrat they intended to elect to attend the County Convention to be held at Lexington, on March 28th. There being but three persons present it was the right belief all the members present. Chairman and Secretary. Accordingly W. K. Caldwell was appointed to vote and call those present to order. Mr. Caldwell was appointed to vote and call those present to order. Mr. Caldwell was a Democrat and he was in accordance with the Republican interests. After waiting for six hours two voters appeared. Mr. Caldwell stepped up. The question being put, that Mr. [illegible] be appointed to attend the following ticket was voted for: For Representative, Democratic County Convention, Mr. [illegible] Democrat; for Sheriff, Democrat; for Treasurer, Democrat; for Assessor, Democrat; for Commissioner, Democrat; for Surveyor, Democrat; for Coroner, Democrat; for Superintendent of Schools, Democrat; for Justice of the Peace, Democrat; for Constable, Democrat. The person getting the short straw was to stay at home. The persons getting the long straws to attend the County Convention. Mr. J. A. Kirkpatrick was the unfortunate one—having drawn the short straw had to stay at home. I give this as a new method of abbreviating business in our primaries. It may be needed in some of the precincts.

OBSERVER.

There is said to be a minister in Southern Oregon who has been married three times, his first two wives being sisters and his third wife was stepmother to his two first.

OREGON.

The Union county rice will not be ready for market until the middle of October.

A very respectable audience greeted Mr. Richard Stutz & Marion county last evening. It was a vocal concert, party.

A Washington Territory paper thus speaks of one of our patriotic candidates for office:

"Mr. Wall likes better whiskey than pie with the Democratic platform of a popular Republican grade of Oregon."

The *Statesman* of last Tuesday says: John Minto has handed in his card and declines to run. I wish to day in which he most respectfully declines the Republican nomination to be a candidate for Representative.

The Lafayette *Sentinel* (Democratic) says the platform of the Democracy is outside of the [illegible] and [illegible] enough and that the candidates are all well known except Mr. Ladow. That's what we didn't want.

The La Grande stage which usually reaches Umatilla by 12 o'clock midnight did not arrive at that place until 10 o'clock Friday morning last week. The Irrigator reports that there is more snow on the mountains than ever before and that the roads are in a horrible condition.

Mr. Bull who has worked hard to build up the La Grande *Scout* during the past two years and having been dispossessed of the material heretofore in use by him has secured other type and press and will go right on with the paper. There is no more suppressing newspapers in this country.

The delegates from Jefferson to the Marion County Independent Convention are Chas. Miller, Frederick Stevers, Wm. Steward and Wm. Pain. Tom Furbeck J. Shaff, Foss and I. O. Maines. From Butteville D. Hindleton W. H. Rees and J. D. J. Blevins. From Labish W. M. Collard, T. Goodrich and S. Brooks.

James Mason who for some time has been employed on the farm of John Field near La Grande as a laborer was Saturday week arrested by Sheriff Warnick by virtue of requisition from the Governor of Washington Territory. He was detained in jail at La Grande until Friday when Sheriff Griffin of Walla Walla county who came over for the purpose departed with the prisoner. Mason alleges that he is guilty of any crime—the charge being the theft of a horse which he sold at Lewiston.

The boats are moving briskly on the Upper Willamette as appears by the following from the Salem *Statesman* of Tuesday. The steamer *Multnomah* arrived from Portland yesterday afternoon with 150 tons of up freight and went to Corvallis. The *Albany* came down last evening with 120 tons of wheat for the Kinney mill and returned for another cargo. The *Fannie Patton* came up and took on ninety tons of flour for Oregon City. The *Alice* arrived from below and went to Corvallis.

The La Grande *Sentinel* tells this snake story. Billy Miner while looking for cattle in the tules the other day found what he was not looking for—a large mass of snakes all commingled. The mass was about one foot in thickness and four feet square. They were the common garter snake, and what causes them to so mingle human mind cannot conceive—but probably the snakes did. On the approach of two or three persons called to witness the spectacle the snakes rapidly disappeared in the earth.

John Ladd of La Grande was severely kicked Monday night by a horse of his gentle horse. He entered the stall without speaking while the horse's head was down. On seeing Mr. Ladd the horse became frightened and turned and began kicking furiously. Mr. Ladd endeavored to elude the blows by taking up a position near the manger but the horse being tied long turned and kept up his kicking. A workman hearing the noise ran to the barn and by virtue of a club induced the horse to cease. The elbow of Mr. Ladd was displaced and he was injured all the way from the ankle to the ribs.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* has this. A correspondent, writing from a neighboring town, says: "A girl eighteen years of age came to this place from Oregon some time since and engaged herself as a domestic in a quiet family. One day last week she was made a mother and after concealing the paternity of the infant for some days finally stated that the father was the son of her employer, aged nineteen years. The youth was sent for and acknowledged the impeachment offering to settle on a cash basis. This was agreed to and all claim against him released on payment of the stipulated sum. The girl has returned to her home in Oregon, taking with her the evidence of her lovers perfidy and her own weakness."

THE EFFICACY OF PRAYER.

The *Gilded Age* tells how Uncle Dan'l and the children saw a Mississippi steamboat. They were sitting in a row on a log, in a warm evening, talking about spooks after the manner of southwestern negroes when Uncle Dan'l first impressively. Then came a sound. A deep coughing sound it imbibed the stillness with a toward a wooded cape that jutted into the stream a mile distant. All in an instant a fierce eye of fire shot out from behind the cape and sent along brilliant pathway quivering athwart the dusky water. The coughing grew louder and louder, the glaring eye grew larger and still larger and flared wilder and still wilder. A huge shape developed itself out of the gloom and from its tall hideous horns dense volumes of smoke started and sparkling with sparks, poured out in vast tumbling, awful mass the farther darkness. Nearer and nearer the thing came till its long sides became glowing with spots of light which mirrored themselves in the river and attended the pilot-house like a conflagration. Then Uncle Dan'l rose to his feet and in the majesty of his voice and the Indian dress he wore he looked a prophet. Clasping his hands he prayed. Oh Lord we have been mighty wicked men we knows that we serve to go to de hot place but good Lord death is hard we mighty rich we want to [illegible]—let dese people children hab but one more chance. Take de old nigger but [illegible] us got to hab you body. Good Lord good death Lord we don't know what [illegible] we lost in a whole mass gone over but we knows by de way you [illegible] we knows by de way you talkin along in yo [illegible] Lord don't [illegible] some to Sumner's gwine to ketch it. But good Lord de children don't [illegible] dey's [illegible] Obstown which don't know nuffin in you knows we own selves dat don't [illegible] possible Oh Lord [illegible] de little children let de little children come unto me [illegible] away. I'm dey treasures let em offices dis one and take it out to de Comanchah Heathen Lord hab [illegible] De steamer with the screeching [illegible] the faces of the [illegible] struck from [illegible] Dan'l seizing in arms of the children and [illegible] with tears [illegible] would hold [illegible] toward the woods looking back [illegible] that the boat was rounding a point out [illegible] Well said the relieved [illegible] dem [illegible] talks dis way [illegible] dem [illegible] you prah. Dis chile would like to [illegible] which I owe [illegible] warn't to [illegible] Dat's [illegible]

A recent case in the Chancery Court at Cincinnati. A lot of lawyers raising forever berating Corbet the Deputy Sheriff from hog on his back with his jack-knife the counsel on [illegible] running over the dispute in an effort to reach the perturbed ear of the [illegible] Chancellor who looks helplessly and imploringly around. Suddenly he rises to the gravity of the occasion raps with his gavel and addresses the Deputy Sheriff thus: "Mr. Deputy [illegible] Yes sir responds the functionary starting as though he had been shot. "I want you, pursued the Chancellor, benignly scowling over his spectacles, "to try and keep these gentlemen quiet if you can't, report them to me, and I'll fine them. If you don't report them, then I'll fine you." And there was a great calm.

THE TERRITORIES.

A Walla Walla man writes to a friend that it is talking of [illegible] on the Snake near there. He is working a claim below the discovery.

A letter from Calfax W. T. says: There is a fair prospect for a mining excitement at the Carts during the coming season but let us not anticipate—time proves all things.

The bridge across the Palouse at Colfax W. T. was completed last week. It is 150 feet long, main span sixty five feet long of heavy timber and will [illegible] together cost in the neighborhood of $1 200.

The mills at Colfax W. T. are running night and day. The first wheat was ground in December but the mill was not completed until a few days ago. The proprietor Mr. J. C. Davenport is paying 40 cents per bushel for wheat and selling the flour at $3 per barrel and a finer article of flour is hard to produce.

Squirrels are becoming a great pest in some portions of Walla Walla valley. Last year a good deal of grain was destroyed by them in places. They have made their appearance already in great numbers and will be [illegible] more on them with dogs, cats, traps and poison. Put the dogs kill the cats and the poison kills the dogs while the squirrels have too much ease to fool around trap so far they are ahead.

The Walla Walla *Union* of the 28th ult. says: The price of cattle seems to be still lower now than ever in the valley. We hear of one lot of cows two year olds and yearlings that sold at the prices of $12 $10 and $8 respectively. In addition to this the seller insured them all to live until the 1st of May, and obligates himself to make good any loss that may occur before the time. We thought a while since that the reason why cattle were selling so low was that the owners feared they might lose them. But now that the danger may be considered past, the old still lower than ever. Stock can not get much lower unless people commence giving away. There is a possibility that the price may come up little in a few months if outside buyers come in. Otherwise they will return low for the supply is far in excess of our home demand.

The Walla Walla *Union* knows a young man in that county who writes "Dr." before his name and M. D. after it who, after having taken down an old fistula mastered the science of medicine and surgery has concluded to turn his attention to practical dentistry. In order to enable him to pull teeth without pain he procured the head of a sheep that had lately been slaughtered and repaired to the brush along the bank of a creek. When thus seated as he supposed, from "prying eyes," he produced his forceps gently smoothed the sheep's face with his hand, probably to inspire the patient with confidence, then opened its mouth and firmly held of a molar with his tooth hooks and gave surge that brought out the tooth. He then stepped back, wiped his forceps on the seat of his pants, and said in the most soothing tones "Madam did it hurt you?" A man who was fishing in the creek, not twenty feet away, didn't hear what the sheep did.

PUBLIC OPINION.

If the Republican party is to retain its strength, its platform and its pledged honor must not be violated or seriously threatened with violence. * * * The mere attempts [in Congress] to violate the platform have produced serious mischief as may be seen in the apathy and distrust evinced in New Hampshire and known by every intelligent observer to be more or less prevalent all over the country.—*Detroit Post, (Rep.)*

It may be necessary for the Republican party to be chastised and to carry very heavy crosses, but it occurs to us that Mr. Benjamin Butler is growing to be an unsupportable burden and if it comes to a question of survivorship—that is to say, whether the Republican party shall be scorched to exalt Mr. Butler, or Mr. Butler thrown overboard to save the party,—we are distinctly in favor of the latter course as most convenient and likely to bring the greatest good to the greatest number.—*Illinois State Journal, (Rep.)*

If after the exhibition which has now been made of the practices of Custom House officers, special agents and attorneys Congress shall not abolish the whole system of monsters, then we may conclude that Congress is satisfied with the most disgraceful and atrocious revenue laws and practices that ever existed in a civilized or savage government and that it wants the Custom House to be made a den of thieves, robbers and scoundrels, and integrity and good reputation made impossible to the importing merchant.—*Cincinnati Gazette (Rep.)*

Under the Republican Administration of Lincoln and Grant he (Charles Francis Adams) has served his country in positions of high responsibility, and so served it as to deserve the nation's respect and gratitude. Like Charles Sumner he would of course make no promises but upon him as confidently as up on Sumner we could rely that he would never degrade the great office of Senator or prove false to the best standards of Massachusetts Republicanism. His election beyond that of any other man would convince the country that the old Bay State proposed hereafter to vindicate her professions by her practice, and it would reanimate the disconsolate ardor of political and public virtue wherever it has been assailed.—*Boston Advertiser.*

The two next utterances are from Connecticut papers published on the eve of the election in that State.

No State can vote now and not either indorse or rebuke the Butler Simmons ring the division contracts and other wrong doing in which the Government at Washington is involved. No State can separate its vote from an indorsement or rebuke of the Administration. It never has been done, from the days of Jackson to Grant. No voter can cast his ballot in favor of a man or a platform without favoring or opposing Grant and Congress, both led by Butler. It is impossible. The New Hampshire result is a protest at Washington a rebuke and if [illegible] the first day after was weaker and one day after Connecticut vote he will be weaker still.—*Hartford Post.*

Butlerism is a sort of Nell Jack. It is principally spread by political machinery. It will kill any party that does not get rid of it. It is simply dishonesty in the grossest form.—*Harper's Current.*

OLD IRONSIDES.—The old Revolutionary frigate *Constitution*, which some months ago, was brought to Philadelphia from Annapolis to be rebuilt, was drawn upon the stocks at the navy yard, for that purpose recently. Having been dismantled, she was raised in the floating dry dock, and towed around to the south wharf. Here by means of the greatest force, she was pulled from the dock up on to the stocks. To accomplish this 60 men were employed hitching cables from a half dozen capstans and the completion of enormous pulls took a long time. When the captains were manned and the cables felt the tension upon them, the vessel moved gradually though very slowly, from the dock up the well greased ways. The *Constitution* was decorated with the national bunting and all the officials of the yard and many citizens were assembled to witness the operation. The *Constitution* will be entirely rebuilt for service as a school ship. Her model will not be changed, and no solid timbers will be removed. She will be refitted with all modern sailing appliances, and it is expected that, when completed, she will make a serviceable addition to the fleet.—*N. Y. Times, March 7th.*

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The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING APRIL 2, 1874

A DELICATE SUBJECT

It is a delicate matter but we cannot help speaking of it If somebody would take pity on the readers of the *Bulletin* and get Mr Holliday to employ an editor who could vary the programme a little we venture to say the person doing so would receive the thanks of that afflicted class who are daily dosed with repetitions of the same vapid balderdash, without even the redeeming quality of variety in the manner of its dishing up. The individual who turns the crank of the railway organ is as barren of ideas as a cabbage head Almost every day it is the same old song over and over, and over again the columns of the ring organ are filled up with charges against the OREGONIAN as a bolting organ," an organ of 'malignity,' as a 'disorganizers' paper" as an enemy to the administration" and other such nonsense. We should think the fellow would get disgusted with such eructations himself The insipidness of his mouthings have come to be a subject of common remark on the street His friends actually turn red in the face when the *Bulletin* is mentioned, and 'wonder if the fellow never will think of anything else to say" It may be said that it is none of our business, and we suppose it is, since we care nothing about the references to the OREGONIAN, but really we have sometimes been ashamed with and for the friends of this poor mush brained lump of sterility whom they feel compelled to keep in the editorial chair because the Government pays his salary, which makes a saving of that amount to the concern So long as Scott had a few friends who did his thinking and a goodly share of his writing for him, he was able to maintain the reputation of a man of ordinary talents, but since he has lost this assistance, his want of capacity has become so manifest that few persons even among his political friends, now speak of his pretensions to ability except in tones of contempt Just think of a metropolitan journal made up exclusively of flat epithets and second hand billingsgate! The mendacity of the *Bulletin*, though bad enough in all conscience, is scarcely so grave a fault as its inanity—its utter shabbiness Scott even appears to have lost his old capacity for stealing editorials from Eastern papers

SOME STARTLING FIGURES

Some curious and very significant statistics have been brought to light through the agitation of the subject of compulsory education, which has been going on in different sections of the Republic lately If the figures are reliable (and we have no reason to suppose they are not), every State in the Union should be giving the education problem its earnest attention Illinois has enacted a law requiring that every child between five and sixteen years of age shall receive at least three months' instruction each year, and imposing a penalty of one dollar per month upon parents or guardians for neglecting to comply with the law If parents or guardians who are unable to pay the expense of procuring books for their children, these are furnished out of the public school fund

The objection sometimes urged against the compulsory system, that Government should confine its operation to the protection of person and property, and leave the training of the mind to the care of parents, societies, &c, is met in a way that appears quite unanswerable It is asserted that the State, for the protection of the liberties of its citizens and their property, is bound to educate its youth, that crime is in proportion to ignorance, that intellectual culture promotes honesty, industry, obedience to law And in support of this proposition the following startling figures are put forth

In the six New England States only 7 per cent of the inhabitants above 10 years can neither read nor write—yet 80 per cent of the crime in those States is committed by this small minority, in other words a person without education commits 53 times as many crimes as one with education In New York and Pennsylvania an ignorant person commit, on the average, 7 times the number of crimes that one who can read or write commits and in the whole United States the illiterate person commits 10 times the number of crimes that an educated one does

Looking to France as one of the most industrious and thrifty of the kingdoms of the Old World, we have these facts, From 1856 to 1869, one-half of the people of France were in a state of total ignorance Number arrested from 1867 to 1869 444 133 number unable to read, 442 194—which is 99 63 per cent Average number of convicts from 1866 to 1868 18 643, number unable to read, 16 010—which is 87 28 per cent Average juvenile prisoners from 1866 to 1868 8,130, number unable to read 6,607—which is 81 14 per cent

At that time France had 36 000 000 of people and the proportions were In 18 000 000 of people unable to read and write there were 442,194 arrests—that is 1 in 41 In 18 000 000 of people commonly educated there were 1 939 arrests—that is 1 in 9,291 Proving that proportion of criminals in the uneducated class set to be 226 times as great as that of the educated classes

Persons of close observation and study upon the correlations between crime and illiterates have generally been agreed that crime abounds more among ignorant than among educated people but few, we apprehend, have had any adequate idea of the actual extent to which crime and ignorance go hand in hand

Some time since a readable account of what it cost to bury the average Congressman at Washington was very extensively printed The bill footed up an aggregate of something like three thousand dollars People who take a lively interest in such lugubrious computations may be pleased to know that the lower classes can be put anywhere, anywhere at all the world for a much smaller sum In July 1872, Mrs Abby B Mills mother in law of Hon Fernando Wood, was unfortunate enough to die in Washington Her son gave an undertaker *carte blanche* to get up the funeral regardless of expense In a few days he received a bill amounting to $ 1 000 He declined to pay this sum but offered to settle on a liberal basis ($1 000) rather than incur publicity in court says a local paper. The undertaker brought suit and a long and lively cutting trial followed Experts were summoned who in the heat of professional jealousy unveiled many of the secret extortions practiced in their sombre realm. Our local authority says in lively terms ' The testimony of all seemed corroborative of the fact that there was money in the job at $700 From the evidence it appeared that the undertaker and his assistant, on their return from New York City, took a jaunt through the Eastern States reveled in wines liquors cigars and other expensive refreshments had a high old time generally and charged for all these things in the bill The jury held that this was crowding the mourners," and the undertaker was awarded $1 400 He will make it up on those jurymen, some day. The defendant proposes to take an appeal

Mayor Colvin of Chicago was elected on a Sunday reform amusement platform by the German vote Several days since a committee of Crusaders waited on him and urged him to veto an ordinance passed by the Common Council allowing saloons to be kept open on Sunday The Mayor came upstairs in the language of the P R but firmly declined to accede to their request He stated that the repeal of the ordinance closing the saloons on Sunday was one of the main issues on which he was elected and he could not now honorably repudiate the promises he had made The ladies have not given up the fight although the Mayor seems to be impervious to their assaults His powers of endurance will be thoroughly tested if the Crusaders pursue him with half the fidelity of the Ottomans

It is probable that the Freeman bill to regulate freights and fares on the railways of California will be defeated Some of the newspapers are accusing the Senate Committee which sat for some time with closed doors of listening too long and too attentively to Leland Stanford There appear to be Constitutional objections to the bill however The Assembly passed it as quickly as possible and in its haste failed to detect these objectionable features The Sacramento *Union* if we rightly understand its position is inclined to believe that before any just and equitable legislation on the monopoly question can be had the State Constitution must be amended It therefore advocates the calling a Constitutional Convention at once

Eastern papers unite in paying handsome tributes to the bravery of Captain C H Brady, the third officer of the ill fated *Atlantic* who recently brought the *Pennsylvania* safely through a fearful hurricane in which the Captain and mates were lost A brief account of his gallant conduct was furnished by one dispatches several weeks since The Board of Directors of the American Steamship Company recently adopted a resolution of thanks and instructed the President of the Board to address to Captain Brady a letter expressing their gratitude and requesting him to accept one thousand dollars as a testimonial to his courage and worth

The will of Mrs Sophia J Snow, of Boston bequeathing $80 000 to various charitable institutions concludes with this remarkable addition 'I forbid any person or persons to break this my last will and testament and whoever attempts to break it or breaks it may he she or they find no peace for mind or body in this world or the world to come"

The report of the Secretary of the New York State Grange shows that there are 190 subordinate Granges in that State The Independent Order of disaffected Granges has made no inroad on the membership or influence of the original Order of Patrons of Husbandry

Several New Orleans gentlemen have made a present to General Grant It is a picture of himself heroic size on horseback Senator West accompanied the gift with a speech "And subsequently they all partook of a lunch with the President '

The Washington *Chronicle* charges that the chief editor of the New York *Sun* lost he may be overtaken by just punishment for his crimes, fears to visit the capital of his own country '

Hon John Minto sends to the Salem *Statesman* a card in which he declines the nomination for Representative, tendered him by the Marion County Republican Convention Next

The old stone mansion in which Benjamin West the artist, was born situated within 200 yards of Swathmore College Pennsylvania was totally destroyed by fire March 16th

In yesterday's paper we were made to say there were less than *twenty* votes polled in all the precincts of Benton county at the Democratic primaries It was written *thirty*

A Washington correspondent says the impeachment of Judge Busteed seems assured and that the House Judiciary Committee will in a few days take a vote on his case

PASSAGE OF THE McCRARY TRANSPORTATION BILL

Washington dispatches of March 30th say The House then proceeded to vote on the inter state railroad regulation bill, which passed—121 to 116 There are only slight modifications from the bill as originally reported by McCrary

McCrary's transportation bill was voted for by all the Pacific coast members except Houghton, who while approving its principles opposes its machinery He offered a substitute providing that railroad companies may fix their own rates, but giving aggrieved parties the right to bring suits against them in the United States courts with the burden of proof thrown on the railroad companies to show that the charge complained of is not unreasonable under a penalty of not less than $500 nor more than $5 000 for each overcharge Owing to the enforcement of the previous question this substitute could not be brought before the House for a vote

DESPERATE CONFLICT BETWEEN DETECTIVES AND ROBBERS —A special dispatch to the St Louis *Democrat* from Sedalia March 19 says Reports have reached here that the notorious Younger Brothers who are supposed to have been engaged in the Iowa railroad train robbery some months ago were attacked yesterday at Monegin Springs St Clair county in this State by a party of detectives and a desperate conflict ensued in which one of the Younger Brothers and two detectives were killed

Thos Allen the President of the Iron Mountain Railroad has received this dispatch corroborating the special dispatch to the *Democrat* regarding the fight between the detectives and the Younger Brothers at Monegin Springs The dispatches do not state what detectives were engaged in the affair but it is supposed that they were in the employ of Pinkerton

The appointment of Speight to be Surveyor General of Colorado has caused a tempest in certain circles in Washington and Pennsylvania that will not be easily allayed Thomas B Florence formerly a time ardent supporter of Mr Grant publishes a very pointed protest against the appointment in which he behaves both Grant and Cameron most unmercifully He charges that the appointment was the result of a compact entered into when Cameron was undergoing investigation for buying his seat in the Senate by which Cameron was to be white washed and Speight appointed to effect the public office Mr Florence alludes to the Senators as the clerks of Mr Grant by the grace of God and the railroads sitting in the Senate chamber

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA INVESTIGATION —A Washington dispatch of March 28th says The District of Columbia Investigating Committee this morning examined Colonel Sanford in regard to the measurement work on Government property He said he would stake his reputation as an engineer on the accuracy of his measurement, and said $10 000 worth of flagging had been laid Wilson of the Committee, remarked that he could discover no work of the kind A recess was then taken

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CITY.

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AN OUTBREAK IN INDIA —A dispatch from London of March 27th says A Bombay letter says there is great excitement there over the trouble between the lower classes of Arabs and African Mussulmans and Parsees growing out of a book written by a Parsee in which was a reflection on the character of Mahomet A number of the former attacked the Parsees burning houses and committing every kind of depredation The city authorities seem scarcely equal to the emergency, and the troops in and around the city are not in sufficient numbers to preserve order

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GUNNING EFFECT —As some further amendments of the game laws went into effect yesterday we advise sportsmen of the fact lest some of them should be unwittingly found in violation of the act It is unlawful to take, kill destroy or offer for sale any wild swan mallard summer teal widgeon pin tail teal spoon bill or black duck during the months of April May June or July It is unlawful to take kill destroy or offer for sale any grouse pheasants or quail before the first of July or any partridges before the first of August

CRUELTY TO AN ANIMAL —The case of Mr Pfunder the man who was arrested a few days ago for cutting a dog in a cruel manner while it was engaged in fighting with his own came up in Police Court yesterday morning Quite a number of the witnesses in the case were present but the Justice of the Peace Commissioner Wilson on examining the law found that it was fully authorized to dismiss the case and was relieved at once from it

THE ARREST —The incessant clatter of hammers on the boiler of the tug *Active* denotes that the work of repairing still goes on Several sections of the boiler have already been removed and the Oriental rust eaten plates will soon be cut away for strong new pieces of iron Some time will be required to overhaul the boiler and it is the intention of the owners to make it as powerful as when first steam was raised In appearances three or four weeks will be required to complete repairs on the boiler Meantime the hull of the tug is being overhauled She has been recaulked tightened up and will shortly be treated to a new coat of paint Her engine and steam connections are also receiving attention at the hands of the machinist Carpenters are busily engaged in putting in new frame work in which will rest the pioneer machine boiler One month's time or more will be required before steam can again be raised and the tug

REHEARSAL —Rehearsals are being nightly held at the Fremont Guard Armory by a number of amateur performers who contemplate producing in a few weeks a theatrical play at Opera House Theater This entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Catholic Social Union and the proceeds are to be donated to the Library Fund A dramatical version of Scott's Lady of the Lake will be produced and also a Spanish Great pains are being taken to produce the play in the strictest style Amateurs are entering into the work with a will and in connection and every appearance gives us reason to think that the forthcoming entertainment will fill all that the most critical and fastidious taste could reasonably expect or desire

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March 14 1875 m16d1m

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THURSDAY MORNING APRIL 2 1874

CITY.

DISCHARGED —A few days since a Spaniard named Jose Marieno was arrested by the U S Marshal for peddling cigars and tobacco about the city without a license Marieno was brought before the United States Commissioner yesterday for examination The following is the history of the case as elicited during the examination More than a year ago Marieno left Havana with a considerable quantity of cigars and tobacco and came direct to New York While he was in that city he made application and received from the Second District a license to peddle his stock all over the United States Armed with this authority he came to San Francisco and began to sell cigars and tobacco Thither also came to the ears of the authorities and Marieno was arrested for a supposed violation of the United States laws However when the examination commenced the Spaniard produced his authority in Court and he was thereupon discharged from custody Soon after Marieno came to this city Failing to profit by his late experience in San Francisco, or most probably ignorant of the laws of this country the Spaniard began to peddle his stock without first procuring himself to the Revenue Collector and producing his license certificate As might reasonably be expected under the circumstances he was again arrested by the authorities But on examination before Commissioner Wilcox, it was found that he was duly authorized to peddle his stock and was released at once from custody

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MACHINERY READY —The machinery and boiler for the little propeller which now lies at the foot of F street and is owned by Mr Jas Williams, is nearly finished Several carpenters have been at work for some time on board this craft, and everything is ready for the reception of the boiler and engines In the course of a week or so the boat will be ready to make the trial trip As yet her proper name has not received her name

RETURNED —Miss Jennie Macnamara has returned. The lady is so busily engaged in unpacking the new goods and marking the same that she will not be able to announce the spring opening for some days She has some strong entirely new in the millinery line—and the ladies may depend on—and a new case of goods besides All will be made known in a few days

HELD TO ANSWER —The examination of William Murphy charged with desertion from the ship *Akbar*, took place yesterday before United States Commissioner Wilcox After hearing the case the commissioner held the defendant to answer the charge and fixed in the case as the defendant was unable to furnish bonds. He was remanded to jail

OPENING DAY—NEW MILLINERY GOODS —Mrs Geo H Clarke will open to-day the new stock of millinery goods, which she has just returned from San Francisco The stock comprises a very large assortment of the very latest spring styles Visit Mrs Geo H Clarke & Henderson's

COMES ON —This morning at the office of J H Mabbott will come up for examination before the U S Commissioner Mabbott was arrested a few days ago charged with having refused to obey orders from his superior officers and also for being guilty of intemperate conduct

TO EXCHANGE PULPITS —We learn that Rev J D Eaton pastor of the First Congregational Church of this city, and Rev P S Knight of Salem, will exchange pulpits on Sunday next.

W. R. T. CO'S BOATS —Boats on this line leave semi-weekly as will be observed by the new schedule which appears among the advertisements.

TOWED DOWN —Yesterday the brig *Orient* was towed down to the lower sawmill where a deck load of lumber will be taken on board The bark *Mattie Wade* is also towed down the river where the remainder of her cargo for Honolulu will be completed

CHANGES —The traveling public should note the new time table on the west side railroad The trains leave at 7 30 A M instead of 7 00 A M as heretofore

TO WALLULA —Passengers by the *Queen* to-morrow can go through to Wallula the boats having commenced running to that point

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Fast Portland is to have a million fly stores

The Clarendon Hotel is having quite a run this season

Our merchants are nearly all back with their spring goods

Our country cousins fill up the city hotels in excellent fashion

The present officers of the City Police have gradually risen to their high positions

Carl Bosse the magician has returned to the city after an absence of three months

The steamer brought 50 sacks of Eastern letter mail—it is to be hoped the last by that route

Southern Irelands lucky boys Portland cargo were brought to this port on the last steamer

Charley Mead received lots of the Nevada State Lottery drawing. They can be seen at this office.

Wonderful the baths are going to try and stop the dispensing of soda at the drug stores with a stick in it

The crusade on the saloons continues The excitement has subsided except in one quarter referred to elsewhere

It is hard to find a man who does not belong to a Grange Lodge Club the Militia Post, Encampment or——

While a number of persons were quietly looking on the proceedings of the Crusaders at the corner of First and Morrison streets yesterday from a wagon the driver suddenly started off affording the occupants an involuntary ride and making the passengers appear rather ridiculous

DR M'KAY AND HIS SCOUTS.

Dr McKay and Col Jos Meek arrived in this city on Tuesday from east of the mountains The former gentleman has visited the city for the purpose of making the necessary business arrangements to give our citizens one or more entertainments with his Indian braves At present Donald McKay the famous Indian scout and hunter who proved of such invaluable service during the late Modoc difficulties is at Warm Spring Reservation completing all necessary arrangements and training his no less celebrated scouts This morning Dr McKay will leave for the Dalles and from thence proceed to Warm Springs where he is to be joined by his brother and the other scouts The company will then come down to the Dalles and give a performance there and from thence will visit Portland From Dr McKay we understand that two performances will be given in this city There will be in the company Dr McKay Donald McKay, the scouts and Col Joseph Meek After remaining in Portland several days, the company will proceed to California It has not yet been determined whether the company will take the steamer directly for San Francisco or proceed overland Performances will be given in San Francisco and then the company will start East It is the intention now not to give any performances after leaving San Francisco until reaching Washington The company will then visit all the principal cities of the East after which they will start westward, giving performances along the route home The company will arrive in Portland in about twelve days from date Our citizens will be gratified at the prospect of being able to witness this novel and unique performance

"WAR TO THE KNIFE"

Yesterday a number of ladies were again on the streets and visiting the various saloons of the city There was rather an increase in the number and certainly no abatement of purpose to carry out the object of the crusade More opposition was encountered yesterday than on any preceding day assuming in one instance the form of violence At Mr Moffett's saloon—which the delegation visited twice during the day—the ladies were treated in the most indecorous manner and even subjected to rude treatment at the hands of some of the crowd Gongs were violently beaten to drown the voices of the ladies and fire crackers strewn on the sidewalks under their feet to frighten them off This was to all appearances at the instigation of the proprietor But the ladies stood their ground valiantly At one time a general row seemed imminent, and the police found it necessary to interfere and ask the ladies to retire and subsequently to disperse the crowd in order to avoid serious difficulty We understand that the ladies propose to renew the contest to day

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

I P Wendell and wife to Fannie E Fivette lot 1 block 116 East Portland consideration $0.

H M Watts and wife to I M Drake lot 4 block 260 City of Portland consideration $400

Wm S Caldwell to John M Drake lot 1 block 269 City of Portland consideration $0

Oregon Real Estate Company to Joseph Cox lots 5 and 6 in block 145 City of Portland consideration $1 000

L B Hill and wife to John Hill lot 1 block 6 Caruthers Addition consideration $1000

BUSINESS NOTICES

Mr E Smith whose card appears in another column gives his entire attention to the manufacture of wagons and carriages We wish him like all Oregon manufacturers, success

Mrs George H Clarke announces the opening day at her rooms in our advertising columns The latest spring styles are announced Of course there must be something nice in the stock

PERSONAL

Mr S M Watts a well known citizen of Walla Walla returned on the last steamer to this city This gentleman went to California about a month since for the purpose of inspecting some of the Beet Sugar Factories and Refineries of that State with a view of the introduction of that vegetable in Walla Walla county He returns much encouraged with the result of his personal observation

Call and have O'Brien show you those new brands of cigars They are fine

If you feel dull and drowsy try Hires

THE INSURANCE MOVEMENT and Portland is agitating, our citizens just now and where to procure a suit of cloth at the least end appear one thing to know Happy are all motherly enquiries for a man to the best cheap answered with Gold Cloth Hall Store Flack & Weinman Gold Cloth Hall exactly Only take the right corner the corner of Front and Oak streets Gold Cloth Hall and they'll sell you right

A GRAND JOB —An Indictment Grand Jury in Portland knows well enough that what very few of the community do positive result in immense supply of jewelry and notions at KOHN'S old stand in the Holladay Building with buyer Hall still in charge Best assortment spring styles for Men Boys and Children

Steadily, if without any flourish of trumpets the Wilcox Gibbs Sewing Machine is forging to the front in this city Among the leaders of the present day it will be found in the future Call and examine it at the office in Ladd & Tilton's Bank building

Winter clothing and underwear given away for cash at Hyman's Hall corner First and Alder streets Everything in the line of gents furnishings at all times

Ilos Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute

The public are hereby assured through the columns of the OREGONIAN that *Parson's Purgative Pill* contain no injurious principle but that they may be administered to children and the most weak and shattered constitutions in small doses with great certainty of success

Dr A Johnson one of the most successful practitioners of his time, invented what is now called *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* The great success of this article in the cure of Bronchitis and all diseases of the throat and lungs will make the name of Johnson not less favorably if less widely known than that of Louis Napoleon

COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR MEETING MAR 1 1874

The Common Council of the City of Portland met pursuant to ordinance His Honor, Mayor Lang presiding

Members present—Messrs Burton Caywood Hoyt Hill Lyon Maclind Russell and Story

W S Caldwell Clerk and Chief Engineer Lane

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

PETITIONS

A petition was read from Geo H Durham and others asking to have Twelfth and Fourth streets south to Columbia improved by grading laying of sidewalks and crosswalks Referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

From Geo F Coyle and others stating that scavengers are in the habit of depositing garbage on Mill and Taylor streets and asking that the same was stopped Referred to the Committee on Health and Police

A petition from W L Higgins and others calling the attention of the Council to the condition of the old building which is tumbling down at the corner of First and Oak streets that the same is liable to be set on fire during the coming summer, and asking that the same be removed Laid on file

From Wm Carlson and others asking that the sum of $5 be refunded to Mrs Lusey whose cow had been wrongfully impounded Referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

From Wm Bond and others, asking to have the grade changed of A and Fourth and Park streets Referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

COMMUNICATIONS

A communication was read from W H Anderson, stating that he was now prepared to enter into contract with the city to sweep the streets He had a sweeping machine such as is used in San Francisco would do all the sweeping after night He would agree to sweep the streets at the rate of $150 per mile per month Communication was referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

From Shubrick Norris and others, remonstrating against the proposed improvement on Montgomery street Referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

From the Committee on River Improvements to whom was referred the disposition of the old dredger The Committee stated that they had received one bid for the dredger from Mr D L Beeanson The price offered was $1,500 for the boat, machinery, etc Placed on file

From the Superintendent of Streets in relation to lighting the street lamps, and providing for reporting any deficiency as to the time of lighting, quality of oil, etc Placed on file

From the same officer, in reference to the cleaning of streets, designating and specifying those streets wherein cleaning will be necessary Referred to the Committee on streets and Public Property

REPORTS

The report of the City Treasurer for the quarter ending March 31st, was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

CLAIMS

The following claims against the city were read and allowed M I Gleason $75 Police Commissioners, $102, Police Commissioners [This claim was, on motion, referred back to the Commissioners—Ed], John Dunnigan $62 50 Koshland Bros, $8 Drew & Lavero, $3 Oregon Brass Works $200 Dilge & Zimmerman, $30, D M Payne, $449 20

ORDINANCES

An ordinance from the Committee on Accounts and Current Expenses making an appropriation out of the General Fund for the payment of certain claims Read first second and third time, and passed

From the Committee on Ways and Means making an appropriation of $1 695 out of the Police Fund, read first and second time and laid over

An ordinance making an appropriation of $6 900 out of the Fire Department Fund was read first second and third time and passed.

An ordinance from the Committee on Streets and Public Property making appropriations for the street lamps was read first time and laid over

From the same Committee an ordinance relating to obstructions in the streets was read first time and laid over

From the same Committee an ordinance in relation to lighting and extinguishing the street lamps was read first and second time and laid over

An ordinance from Councilman Bosco making an appropriation of $25 in front of the Fire Fund for the relief of certain persons was read

From the Committee on Streets and Public Property changing the grade of South Front at the intersection of Mood street Ordinance read first second and third time and passed.

An ordinance providing for the manner of the improvement of lumber at the intersection of Fifth was read third time and passed

An ordinance prohibiting the transportation of nuisances through the streets except in certain cases with the obstruction of streets was read third time and passed

An ordinance making an appropriation of $200 for the relief of Hall and was read first second and third time and passed

ORDINANCES

From the Committee on Accounts and Current Expenses relative to the appointment for the same Read first second and third time and passed

By Councilman Bosco

That the Committee on Health and Police are hereby authorized to employ the Commissioner of Health to attend to the duties of Health Officer for the remainder of the year Referred to the Committee on Health and Police

By Councilman Hill

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CHARLES SUMNER

HIS LAST HOURS ON EARTH—SCENES AND INCIDENTS AT HIS DEATH

The annexed account of the death of Senator Sumner will be read with interest. It is written by Major Ben Perley Poore Private Secretary to Mr Sumner and Washington correspondent of the Boston *Journal*. His narrative is written from personal observation

THE LATTER HOURS

The recent action of the Massachusetts Legislature was of the deepest interest to him and he read with exultation letters from friends at home narrating the progress of the resolutions. He declined however to supply the material for any defense of his action in presenting the battle-flag resolution beyond what had been published and wanted like a Senator of ancient Rome for justice. I wish that occasion could have been given him, not to defend himself, for he needed no defense, but to have explained the motives which prompted his original presentation of the battle-flag resolution the indorsements which it received and how he came to offer it again, with his civil rights bill to square off his work. How fortunate it was that he was spared to hear on the last day that he was permitted to visit the Senate chamber how deep league-present the resolution which proved that in a sun enjoyed the confidence and esteem of his fellow citizens and congratulations on the good of Commonwealth of Massachusetts'

Soon after the resounding resolution had been read and he had received the congratulations of a number of Senators, Hon. Henry L. Pierce came into the Senate chamber and had a conversation with him on the to-day investigations in which he took a deep interest as he did in the exposure of every wrong, as the best way to secure its rectification. Before Mr Pierce left Mr Sumner invited him to dine socially, at 6 o clock and then wrote a note to me extending the invitation

When I arrived at Mr Sumner's house at 6 o clock, I found him in his library diligently engaged in finishing his letters for the mail and chatting, as he wrote with Hon Henry L. Pierce who was sitting near him. When he had sealed and directed his last letter—the last that he ever wrote—he began to talk about a proposition to give Baez a complimentary dinner in Boston giving the reasons which prompted him to disapprove of it. There was then some conversation on the Santo Domingo affair but neither then, nor at any time since his return from Europe after the last Presidential election, to my knowledge did he speak harshly or unpleasantly of President Grant

THE LAST DINNER

The dinner was plain and substantial seasoned with general conversation on the prominent questions of the day especially the developments before the House Committee of Ways and Means. Mr Pierce narrated several incidents which had occurred during his recent visit to Boston, and a couple of hours passed quickly away. I was expecting to receive New Hampshire election news at the news bureau of the Boston *Journal*, and when as the clock struck eight I excused myself and rose to leave Mr Sumner and Sit down a few moments, I want to talk to you about my health. I have had a return of my old enemy, the angina pectoris" He then narrated his attack of Sunday night, which the anodyne supplied him by Dr. Brown Sequard had failed to quiet, the pain keeping him awake until after he had heard the clock in his hall strike four. Next he described the return of the agony on Tuesday night when he sent for Dr Joseph Tabor Johnson, who made a hypodermic injection of morphine which afforded him relief. He then asked Dr Johnson to carefully consult his heart and the doctor pronounced it free from disease. This said Mr Sumner, is additional proof that I am not a sufferer from heart disease but from the result of the injuries which I received, which have affected my spine and the network of nerves indirectly connecting the spinal cord with the heart. How little I thought as I listened to his words, how soon they would have a melancholy interest for the public'

Mr Pierce remained after I left, and had quite a talk with Mr Sumner on matters of mutual interest.

THE LAST ATTACK

Soon after he went away, Mr Sumner felt a return of pain, and sent for Dr Joseph Tabor Johnson, who came at once accompanied by his brother A B Johnson who was Mr Sumner's private secretary when he was assaulted and who has always enjoyed his esteem and confidence. On their arrival at Mr Sumner's study they found him walking to and fro like a man suffering from the toothache, or any other severe pain. He welcomed the doctor and asked for relief by a hypodermic injection of morphine. Dr Johnson replied that he must undress and go to bed, to which Mr Sumner at first objected but finally consented apologizing all the while for giving so much trouble. The first injection not producing the desired effect, Mr Sumner asked for and received a second one, and Mr A B Johnson bathed his feet in warm mustard water. Soon the pain apparently ceased and Mr Sumner said in a pleasant tone, 'I've turned the corner and am on the road to sleep. Do go home, Doctor and you (Johnson) go to bed

Dr Joseph Taber Johnson and his brother retired to the next room, Mr Sumner's study, where they were soon gratified by hearing his full and regular breathing as he enjoyed a quiet sleep. In about half an hour they heard him start and groan as if in pain, and soon found that a second attack had occurred, with more severity than the first one, which was soon followed by great prostration. Dr Lincoln was at once sent to for consultation, but he was not at home, and Dr W P Johnson came, with Mr Samuel Hooper, Mr H L Pierce, and the writer, who had been summoned

Meanwhile, Dr Joseph Taber Johnson had administered brandy and carbonate of ammonia, and had, with the help of Mr Wormley, applied bottles of hot water and mustard poultices to almost every part of his body, hoping thereby to produce reaction. Dr Johnston, on his arrival, approved what had been done, but decided that there was no hope of recovery. Mr Sumner gradually sank giving but few evidences of consciousness during the night. His pulse was several times so weak as to be scarcely perceptible. At times he dozed for a few minutes, then the pain would arouse him and he would exclaim. My book, my book. I should not regret this had I finished my book.' This idea he repeated over and over again in slightly varied language during the night.

At 6 A M Dr Joseph Taber Johnson telegraphed to Dr Brown Sequard, urging him to hasten there. He also requested Surgeon General Barnes and Dr W S Lincoln to meet him for consultation, and they were at the patient's beside at 8 o clock. The result of their consultation banished all hope of Mr Sumner's recovery. They stated in more professional language than I can use, that the nerves around the heart were so affected that the heart was unable to use its full force in expelling the blood into the arteries so that it became stagnant and poisoned. Every exertion was used to restore warmth and consciousness, with such partial success at times as to encourage his friends with hopes of his recovery, but the experienced medical practitioners saw no hope. There was also a constant collection of mucus in his throat which caused a rattling respiration and at times he expectorated bloody mucus

Rev Dr Sunderland the Chaplain of the Senate called in the morning but the suffering patient was in no condition to talk with him. The reverend gentleman retired to the library with several of the Senator's friends to offer appropriate devotions. He first read selections from the 14th chapter of John and then fervently prayed that it might be the Divine will to spare him but if it must prove otherwise that he might be supported in his last hours by the presence of his Father and his God

Meanwhile the sufferer was sinking gradually without feeling entirely conscious of his weakness or exhaustion. He would sleep for a few moments at a time and then wake up turn over and seek rest in a new position frequently exclaiming. Oh I am very tired. 'Can I not have relief'

At 10 o clock Judge Hoar who was with him sent this message to Speaker Blaine

"There is no material change in Mr Sumner's condition. His physicians think him sinking. I think he will survive your session of to-day. E R HOAR'

Soon after this, Mr Sumner slept a little and had his consciousness perfect, except when in a doze until ten minutes before his death. Three quarters of an hour before his death, Judge Hoar, who sat holding his hand, said 'I wish we could do something to make your hands warm,' to which he answered, "You never will. He several times commended the civil rights bill to Judge Hoar saying 'Don't let the bill be lost' and was gratified by the Judge's assurances that he would look after it. About ten minutes before his death, as Judge Hoar was sitting at his bedside he turned toward him and gave him this message for their mutual friend Ralph Waldo Emerson at Concord 'Say the Will Emerson how much I love and revere him. I do not recollect Emerson's of words that he never knew so white a soul' Mr Sumner turned over in bed and died without a struggle with. Just then Mr Hoar Mr Wormley Mr Sumner the Mr Hooper Mr Senator Carpenter Mr Speech Secretaries Harriet and Senator Ingalls were in the room.

Mr Hooper and Judge Hoar soon afterward left the room thinking that Mr Sumner was asleep. But almost immediately he was seized with a violent spasm succeeded by coughing. When Judge Hoar returned he found them both in the room. The Judge took his hand but could not ascertain that he had any pulse. He stood at the bedside and reported that Mr Sumner was dead. Senator Ingalls then left the room and announced the sad event to the crowd waiting in the outer corridors.

Shipping Intelligence.

The Bark Rose Iredale which left New York for Hong Kong under charter to load in this port for Europe is the eighth vessel now under charter to load at Tacoma for Europe.

The Bark Reporter sailed from Seattle on the 31st ultimo for Liverpool with 1,600 tons of coal.

The bark Ida Whitmore sailed from Seattle on the 31st ultimo for Liverpool with 1,600 tons of coal.

The ship Sea Witch sailed from Port Gamble on the 31st ultimo for Liverpool with 1,600 tons of coal.

The